GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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SETTING UP OF POWER PROJECT IN SRI LANKA
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) proposes to set up joint- venture power plant in Sri Lanka;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the time by which work on this plant is likely to start?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER(SHRI P.M. SAYEED)

(a) to (c) : National Thermal Power Corporation Ltd. (NTPC) had initiated a dialogue with Government of Sri Lanka (GoSL) for setting up a thermal power plant in Sri Lanka.

NTPC subsequently received a request from GoSL on 20.12.2004 for submission of a detailed proposal for setting up of a 3x300 MW power plant on Build Own and Operate (BOO) basis.